The Art Of Living

Many people know the laws of mathematics and are skilled in the arts, but most know very little about the laws governing life, the art of living. One may be able to build an airplane and circle the globe and yet be entirely ignorant of the simple art of how to be happy, successful and content. When studying the arts, place first upon the list the art of living.





Florida Department of Corrections

Louie L. Wainwright, Secretary

Mayo Correctional Institution

Dedication Ceremony

Friday, June 15, 1984

Ramon Gray Regional Director, Region II Russell B. Guynn Superintendent

Introduction

Mayo Correctional Institution is located adjacent to U.S. Highway 27 North, approximately ten miles from Mayo, Florida, in Lafayette County. The institution is located on 120 acres of property donated to the State by the Gary Thomas family of Lafayette County. Approximately 40 acres will be fenced and contain the major portion of the facility.

Mayo Correctional Institution will house minimum and selected medium custody male, adult offenders as there is only one 12 foot perimeter fence surrounding the facility. This facility has 11 housing units with a design capacity for 46 each, and a maximum of 67. The overall design capacity is 506 with a maximum of 737.

The emphasis of the Work Program at Mayo Correctional Institution will be to provide meaningful work opportunities for all inmates in constructing, operating, and maintaining the institution. Efforts will be made to instill upon the inmate a desire to develop good work habits. Work areas will include food service, laundry, building and grounds maintenance, canteen, vehicular maintenance, and warehousing. In addition, outside work programs are being developed to provide support services to City and County maintenance, Department of Transportation, and the Division of Forestry.

Mayo Correctional Institution will provide a full range of inmate services and programs. The medical services will offer out-patient care and a four bed infirmary. This includes the services of a physician, registered nurse, medical technicians, dentist, dental assistant and psychologist. The institution will have a broad recreational program for the inmates. Team group counseling services will be geared to conducting small group meetings that deal with interpersonal communications, personality and self-image development, as well as alcohol and drug rehabilitation counseling.

Mayo Correctional Institution will provide an Academic Program that will offer basic reading and mathematics skills in preparation for further training through the vocational programs. Additionally, there will be basic high school courses leading to a G.E.D., high school equivalency diploma. A vocational training program will also be available and will offer intensive training in several occupational areas. The purpose of this type of training is to provide the inmates with the work skills necessary for institutional work activities as well as career skills useful in obtaining employment upon release.

PROGRAM

1:30 P.M.

Master of Ceremonies

Louie L. Wainwright

Secretary
Department of Corrections

Welcome

Zelda Dietrich

Executive Vice President Mayo/Lafavette County Chamber of Commerce

Ramon L. Gray

Regional Director, Region II
Department of Corrections

Invocation

Waymon W. Thomas, Jr., CPA

Religious Services Volunteer Mayo Correctional Institution

Introduction of Guests

Harry K. Singletary, Jr.

Assistant Secretary for Operations
Department of Corrections

Historical Review Mayo Correctional Institution

Pamela Jo Davis, Ph.D

Assistant Secretary for Office of Management and Budget Department of Corrections

Introduction of Dedication Speakers

Honorable Foye O'Steen

County Judge, Lafayette County

Dedication Remarks

Honorable George Kirkpatrick

State Senator, Sixth District Gainesville, Florida

Honorable Gene Hodges

State Representative, Eleventh District Cedar Key, Florida

Symbolic Institutional Key Presentation

David D. Bachman

Deputy Secretary
Department of Corrections

Acceptance Remarks

Russell B. Guynn

Superintendent Mayo Correctional Institution

Benediction

William Counselman

Chaplaincy Services Coordinator Department of Corrections